



Practitioner's Docket No. 031-3 US

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Bullock
Application No. 09/886,937
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For: Shaken Not Stirred


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Art Unit:
Examiner: But, Phuong
Action: Traversal of restriction requirement and
election of claims

TO: The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

TRAVERSAL OF RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND ELECTION OF CLAIMS

The applicant elects claims one through six. This election of claims is made with traversal of the restriction. It is believed that a genus claim that encompasses the modes of operations listed by the Examiner can be allowed. Thus the five listed inventions will all be covered by a claim that covers the shaking motions and the speeds and the directions that the examiner is claiming are different modes of operation.

The applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner rejoin at least inventions 7-12 and 1-6 as this would seem to be readily searchable as one invention as a shaking motion of anything would have to have some increment of cycles in which it shakes.


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I hereby certify that the foregoing Request for Extension is being mailed to the Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 2nd day of January 2004.

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